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UNITED STATES SENATE Committee on Appropriations

May 12, 1947.

Rear Admiral R. H. Hillenkoetter, USN Director of Central Intelligence Central Intelligence Group 2430 E Street, N.W. Washington, 25, D.C.

Dear Admiral Hillenkoetter:

Thank you for your letter of May seventh referring to the important matter of Foreign Mineral Attaches. I am turning this letter over to the Subcommittee of the Appropriations Committee studying the Department of Interior's Appropriation Bill for their consideration.

I was glad to see you on the day of the hearings and will look forward to seeing you again, for I am very much interested in your program.

With best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

(s) Styles Bridges

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